



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 1763
Takayuki TANAKA : Docket No. 2001_1230A
Serial No. 09/944,123 : Group Art Unit 2828
Filed September 4, 2001 : Examiner James A. Menefee

LASER DIODE DRIVE CIRCUIT AND
OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 5, 2003, having a three (3) month shortened-statutory period for response set to expire September 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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